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Rage in Streets of Independence, Kansas

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MYSTERIOUS EARTH QUIVERINGS NOTED

Seismograph at Georgetown Uni-
versity Records Titanic Convul-
sions Thousands of Miles Off

Washington, Dec. 16. — Somewhere, perhaps leagues deep beneath the rolling blue of the Atlantic and forever hidden from the eyes of man, the earth's crust was torn and twisted to-day by a titanic convulsion.

For hours the earth's surface shuddered under the feet of its heedless millions. Force waves thousands of miles in length swept outward from that storm center like ripples on a broken pool. Yet only the un-sleeping seismograph noted it and inscribed a mute record for watchful scientists who guard them.

First word of the disturbance came from Georgetown University here. When the Rev. Father Francis A. Tondorf, director of the seismographic observatory, peered at his delicate mechanism this morning, they told him of a shock more severe than any recorded in the last two years. Somewhere the power beneath the surface was still bulging at the earth's crust holding it in check.

Father Tondorf sent out word of the shock, thinking it might be another great disaster. As the day went by, however, no word came back over the cables or telegraph wires, leaving to conjecture the scene and exact nature of the disturbance.

Experienced observer that he is, Father Tondorf classed the record of his instruments as that of a "terrible" shock. It began soon after 7 o'clock this morning here, reached its greatest intensity toward 8 o'clock, and was still leaving a wavering, dimishing trail after noon, as the earth slowly settled to quiet.

The charts indicated an east west

direction. Father Tondorf esti-

imated the distance from Washington to 2,000 miles.

ELDERLY MAN TRAVELS FAR TO FIND PLACE TO SUICIDE

Elizabeth, N. J., Dec. 16. — The body of an elderly man was found hanging by a picture wire from a tree in Fairview cemetery here to-day. In the pockets of his clothes were found a wedding ring, \$3 cents and this note:

"Pardon me for coming 2,000 miles to use your cemetery. This is my reason for returning to my native country."

The note, dated November 18, was signed "William J. Warburton, third."

ADVANCED FARMING NECESSARY

Syracuse Dec. 16. — Profit from the farm and low cost of food to consumers depend on the use of up-to-date methods by breeders and development of co-operation in the agricultural industry. This was the idea expressed by all the speakers on the program of the annual meeting of the State

Breeders' association here today.

COOLIDGE HELPS CHOOSE CABINET

Senator Harding Fulfills Promise to
Vice President-Elect Made Soon
After Nomination

VIEWS MUCH ALIKE

Coolidge Pledges "Sincerity and
All Singleness of Aim" in Con-
duct of His Office

Marion, O., Dec. 16. — Vice Presi-
dent-elect Coolidge was formally in-
vited today by President-elect Hard-
ing to sit in the cabinet consultations
and take an active part in shaping the
policies of the coming administration.

The invitation was extended at a
conference here at which, at Mr.

Harding's suggestion, the two talked

over in detail the question of cabinet

appointments and plans for an as-

sociation of nations and many other

problems involved in the assumption

of executive authority next March.

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PRIEST WAS KILLED BY A POLICE CADET

Dublin Castle, in Statement, Ad-
mits Knowledge of Slayer of
Canon Magner Wednesday

Dublin, Ireland, Dec. 16. — The frank admission that Canon Magner, killed yesterday at Dunmanway, County Cork, was shot by an auxiliary cadet, was made by Dublin Castle to-day. A statement issued by the castle says that the cadet was one of a lorry party which was ambushed near Cork Saturday night and intimates that he became insane as a result of that experience. It confirms the report that the cadet also killed Timothy Crowley, a farmer's son, T. S. Brady, a magistrate, who witnessed the tragedy, came near suffering a similar fate.

"Thirty auxiliaries left Dunmanway at 1 o'clock yesterday for Cork to attend the funeral of a colleague killed a few nights ago," said the statement. "They were in charge of an auxiliary cadet and proceeded in two motor lorries. Some distance along the route they encountered Canon Magner and Timothy Crowley walking. The cadet ordered the lorries to halt. He jumped out and demanded that Crowley show his permit for the bicycle he was trudging." At this point a Castle official explained that the report was not clear as to just what lead to the shooting, the statement continued.

"The cadet then shot Crowley dead with his revolver and then turned to the priest and shot him dead. After the cadet re-entered the lorry the men decided to return to Dunmanway, where they reported the occurrence to the colonel in charge. The colonel promptly arrested the cadet.

"Crowley was respectable, 24 years of age, and not engaged in politics. Canon Magner was a highly respect-
ed, but always exerted influence

for good in the district."

The statement does not mention the

cadet's name.

Dublin, Ireland, Dec. 16. — (By the
Associated Press). — Five policemen

were killed today at Kilcommon, when

a patrol of eight men were ambus-
caded by 100 men.

ALLEGED BRITISH
TAPPED' CABLES

American Business Messages Dur-
ing War Reached British Busi-
ness Interests, It Is Charged

Washington, Dec. 16. — Direct testi-
mony that American business mes-
sages sent over the British cables during
the war had come into the posses-
sion of British business interests, was
given to a Senate committee today by
Captain F. K. Hill, formerly an Ameri-
can naval attache in South American
countries.

The committee also learned from
Newcomb Carlton, president of the
Western Union Telegraph company, that the British naval intelligence au-
thorities now were holding up for ex-
amination all cable messages from
Great Britain to the United States.
Mr. Carlton was unable to say whether
messages to Great Britain or diplo-
matic messages of the American govern-
ment were being subjected to such

examination, but promised to let the

committee know as to the latter.

Captain Hill testified that the most
glaring instance of American mes-
sages getting into the hands of British
concerns was when the General
Electric company submitted a bid for
certain electrical installations for a
Brazilian who received, next day, a
bid from an English concern to sup-
ply the same articles at a lower price
than the American firm offered.

This testimony was adduced at
further hearings by the committee in
the general question of cable com-
munications and the three cornered
controversy over the landing of a South
American cable at Barbados, which

involves a question of a British cable

intercolonial monopoly in Brazil.

Mr. Carlton, in discussing the hold-
up of American messages in Great
Britain, now, said there was some
justification for the practice as the
purpose was to throw light on "in-
ternal disturbances in Great Britain,
chiefly, I suspect, with reference to
Ireland." He added that his company

had taken a firm stand on the matter

and had been assured that no censor-
ship would be imposed.

The Western Union president tes-
tified further as to the attempts to
land the Miami cable, said his com-
pany was proceeding in an orderly
way through the courts to get the
cable connected. While the hearing
was in progress, it was said at the

State Department that the company

had been informed that if it landed

the cable in Cuba, the permit under

which existing cables at Miami were

landed would be altered so as to pre-
vent the transmission of through mes-
sages to Brazil over the British West-
ern company's lines from Barbados.

"Of course, it is gratifying to me

as it is to all Americans. I suspect

to see the fashion in which Senator

Harding is taking up the preliminaries

of his administration. He is very plain-

ly bringing the national mind to agree-

ment as to a course that may be fol-

lowed in our foreign policy with as-

surance that it will have the support

of the whole people, which is in this

time of world uncertainty, a pre-
requisite of success in the administra-

tion," he said. "I have found that he is

deeply impressed with the gravity of the task

VOLCANIC MUSHROOM

LATEST VICINITY NOTES

TAKE THREE STRAIGHT

Events of Current Interest in Otsego and Near-By Counties.

Because he came from Canada, Harry J. Bates, the well-known singer, last who is pastor of the First Street Methodist Episcopal church in Binghamton and incidentally chaplain at the Broome county poor farm, will be removed from the latter position at the end of the present year. This is the announcement made by Mr. J. W. Bowles, the superintendent of the farm. Mr. Bates, who says there is no complaint against him.

Binghamton post of the G. A. F. which is located at Deposit, had 57 members when it was formed in 1917, and there are now only 27 remaining. A corporation composed of ten local farmers and K. O. Smith, of Deposit, have bought the feed and flour mill of K. O. Smith & Company in that place and will operate the same under the name of the Deposit Mills, Inc. The capital stock is \$10,000 and farmers who desire will be given opportunity to subscribe.

The city of Norwich says it is taking action relative to the gas, water and electric supply to that city. Complaint will not improbable be made to the Public Service commission.

Students of the Red Cross Home Nursing classes in Chenango County who have completed their work are to receive diplomas this week. Altogether 26 diplomas have been awarded.

There were 542 workers enrolled during the past year for Junior Extension work in the 5th and 6th supervisory districts of Otsego county.

of these 445 competed for the awards offered. The products were valued at

\$10,265.07 and the cost was \$4,458.79.

Sheiburn was the first town in Chenango county to go over the top in the purchase of Christmas seals for the tuberculosis work. The quota was \$250 and this sum has been exceeded by a substantial margin. The quota for the county is \$1,570.

Traff-Trans.

Shaw	133	116	182
Diamond	156	116	126
Maples	103	123	133
Hotaling	183	178	159
Beckstedt	140	172	196
Totals	747	635	804

Demons.

Smith	159	157	151
Ormiston	149	145	143
Townsend	107	118	115
Dunn	168	112	152
Church	151	166	139
Totals	734	698	733

Christmas Tree Holders.

The Osborn Christmas tree holder saves time and annoyance. Price, 50 cents. The Oneonta Press, Inc. 2t

Christmas Trees for Sale.

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running pine and boughs at H. Near-

ing's 9 Center street. Phone 567-12.

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Wrens Walk Away From Bob-o-Links in City Bowling Tournament.

Last evening at the Oneonta Hotel, the Wrens took three straight games from the Bob-o-Links. Face, bowing for the Wrens, had high single score of 225, and also high average for the three games, having a total pinage 492. The score for the Wrens:

WRENS—

Kirkpatrick	147	147	147
Oliver	148	148	148
Face	225	148	148
Stapleton	179	179	179
Stavin	170	170	174
Totals	724	746	726

BOB-O-LINKS—

Habib, M.	128	128	128
Patterson	126	126	126
Elizabeton	127	127	126
Hawkins	126	126	126
Perr	121	121	121
Totals	674	616	657

The next series will be played to-night when the Wrens will compete with the Robins.

Klipmoke Five Defeat Otego Grangers

Last evening the local Klipmoke Five basketball team journeyed to Otego where they played an interesting game of basketball with the Otego Grangers and defeated them by the score of 37 to 18. During the first half of the game both teams were evenly matched, the score standing 13 to 12.

In the last half, however, the Klipmoke Five stepped in and walked away with the game, ending with the score of 37 to 18. In the beginning of the game, Bert Face was playing center for the Klipmoke team, but was taken out after about three minutes

playing, suffering from a blow he received in the left eye. The line-up for the game was as follows:

OTEGO—	FB	FP	TP
R. H. Sandiske, M.	5	2	12
E. Rodenbaugh, rf.	9	6	6
G. Wedger, c.	2	6	6
L. Sandyke, lg.	9	9	9
S. Lent, lg.	1	9	9
Totals	8	2	28

ONEONTA—	FB	FP	TP
Pedrone, lf.	2	0	4
Westcott, rf.	7	1	15
Buell, c.	7	6	11
Talmadge, lg.	2	0	4
Jester, lg.	9	0	9
Totals	18	1	37

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STOCKS RESPOND TO MONEY RATES

Leaders Register Best Quotations in Final Hour, When Money is Offered in Abundance

New York, Dec. 16.—Business on the stock exchange today was relatively to an unusual degree, the greatly reduced earnings representing little more than the efforts of professional interests to strengthen their position on the short side of the account.

Contractive elements again were slowly being laid aside from the relativity of money rates and the increasing strength of the foreign exchange market, especially sterling, but these were ignored and played no part in the helpful factors.

Passing of the United States Food Products dividend and the reduction of the Vanadium corporation disbursements reminded the financial community with increasing emphasis of existing and impending conditions.

A very large proportion of the day's trading was compressed in less than half a score of stocks, notably United States Steel, Crucible Steel, Baldwin Locomotive, Mexican Petroleum and affiliated shares. Excepting Southern Pacific and Reading, dealings in railroads were light and with an uncertain trend.

Unlike yesterday's session stocks were more responsive to the money market, leaders registering best quotations in the last hour, when an abundance of money was offered at six per cent as against the previous quotation of seven per cent. Final prices, however, showed impairment among the oils, steels and equipments.

The bond market was more active than at any time in several weeks, but the tone was irregular, both as to domestic and foreign issues, including the Liberty bond. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

New York Produce.

Butter—Farm: receipts, 4,054 tubs; creamy, higher than extras, 55@53½; extra, 52 score, 54½; first.

88 to 91 score, 43@53; state, dairy tubs, good to prime, 42@45; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 22½@23.

Eggs—Weak: receipts, 10,148 cases; fresh gathered extra first, 74½@75; do first, 73@74; state, Pennsylvania, and nearby western henney white, first to extra, 50@52; do brown, extra, 71@73; do gathered brown and mixed colors, first to extra, 73@75; refrigerator, first to extra, 69@62.

Cheese—Irregular: receipts, 1,531 boxes; state, whole milk, flats, head, special, early made, 27½@28; do fall make, 25@26½; do average run, 24@25; state, whole milk, flats, fresh, specials, 24@25; do average run, 22@23.

Poultry—Live: fowl, by freight, 25; by express, 25@28; fowl, 25@31; roasters, 16; turkeys, 49@45; dressed irregular, western chickens, in boxes, 23@24; in barrels, 24@25; fowl, 23@25; roasters, 21@26; turkeys, young, 46@52; do old, 42@46.

New York Meats.

Cattle—Receipts, 645; no trading.

Calves—Receipts, 1,130; irregular: veals, \$11.19@17.50; culs, \$8@10; fed calves, \$6@8; barnyards, \$5@5.50; yearlings, \$4@1.30; westerns, \$5@10.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,695; steady: sheep, ewes, \$4@6; culs, \$2@3.50; yearlings, \$7@9; lambs, \$10.50@13.50; culs, \$7@8.

ONEONTA MARKET.

Grain and Feed at Retail.

Wheat bran	\$2.01
Buckwheat, cwt.	\$2.00
Corn meal, cwt.	\$2.23
Cracked corn, cwt.	\$2.22
Corn, per bush. old	\$1.25
Table meal	\$4.50
Corn and oats	\$2.21
Ground oats	\$2.25
Oats, per bush	\$2.75
Scratch feed, fowl cwt.	\$2.20

Two Men in Police Court.

John Petramm of Depew street, was arraigned before Judge Frank C. Huntington, in city court yesterday morning charged with public intoxication. He was arrested near his home the previous midnight by Officers Jones and Simmons. John pleaded guilty to the charge and as he had been in court on several previous occasions, Judge Huntington sentenced him to 39 days in the county jail at Cooperstown, thus assuring the police that he will not be drunk again for at least one month.

Harald Ehrick, of no place in particular, was brought before the judge on a charge of vagrancy. He is one of the numerous men who seem to exist without any visible effort toward earning a living. Judge Huntington gave him a suspended sentence of 90 days in the county jail and ordered him to get to work or he would be re-arrested.

Removal Sale.

We are obliged to move January 1st from our present location at 15 Broad street and our stock must be reduced before moving. We are placing on sale, at a great sacrifice, our entire stock, consisting of millinery, fancy goods, Royal society package goods, roses, etc., corsets, faces, etc. This sale begins Wednesday, Dec. 1, and will continue until January 1. Norton's bazaar is Broad street, Oneonta.

The Bug Family.

The crawling bugs, tanks and creeping snails have for years been among the most popular toys. See Bugville Games in which four of these bugs take part. The Oneonta Press, Inc. 21

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For Sale—Piano boxes. Phone 620-3.

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TO-DAY
at 2:30
ADULTS 17c
2:30 - 7 and 9 p.m.

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at 7 and 9
All Seats 22c

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

UNADILLA WINS AGAIN.

as Milford High School Team by 40 to 6 Score.

Unadilla, Dec. 16. — Wednesday night, the Unadilla High school team met, and defeated the Milford High school team on the local by a score of 40-6. The visitors

left the lodge dining rooms, the cleaned plates and empty dishes, when the men again went up to the lodge rooms, being ample proof that the dinner was good. A social hour was spent after the dinner, in which Fred Seaman and Lou Sherwood gave some good laughs.

Star Works Degree.

About 15 members and visitors gathered at the Masonic temple Monday to witness the conferring of the Star degree on one candidate. After the Star degree, nine members took the Floral degree. After lodge was closed Mrs. C. A. Stevens rendered a solo. Mrs. Leon J. VanCox playing an accompaniment on the piano. After light refreshments were served, some time was spent in dancing.

Personal Mention.

DILLA — FB FP TB
Allen, M. 8 2 19
Ards, M. 8 1 17
Art, C. 1 0 2
Art, Ig. 0 0 0
Art, sub. 0 0 0
n, sub. 0 0 0
Totals 18 4 40
FORD —
n, Ig. 0 0 2
Art, 1 0 2
Art, C. 1 0 2
Art, Ig. 0 0 0
Totals 3 0 6
Ferree, Wesley Wilber, umpire.
Raitt, timekeeper, Miss

Master Masons' Night, a annual Past Masters' night was in Freedom Lodge, No. 324, F. M. Tuesday evening. About sixteen were present, including many others. After the business of the evening was transacted, the chairs were moved over to the Past Masters of the Lodge who showed the younger men they still knew something about bird degree. After lodge was closed, roast beef dinner was served in

DAY'S BEAUTY TALK

Peter Donnelly, who has made his home in Cooperstown for several years past, died at his home this morning at 3:45 after a brief illness due to the infirmities of age, he being a man 89 years old. Funeral services will be held at St. Mary's church Saturday morning with Father Patrick E.

Crowe officiating. Burial in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mr. Doanelly came to Cooperstown from Springfield, where he was a well-known resident. He is survived by three daughters, Lydia and Mary of Cooperstown and Rose of Springfield, and one son, Edward Doanelly, of Cooperstown.

Agricultural Society Elects.

At the annual meeting of the Otsego County Agricultural society, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Edward S. Clark; vice president, Fred L. Quaff; directors, Floyd S. Barlow, George H. White and Leon H. Ellsworth.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors, Bert G. Johnson was re-elected secretary of the society and Owen G. Clark treasurer.

Is County Veterinarian.

Dr. Hobart W. Tilson, Cooperstown's veterinarian, has been appointed to the new office of county veterinarian. His duties begin January 1, next, when he will make tests for dairymen who have not yet been able to secure attention under the state and federal plan. The expense of the office will be borne by the farmers whose herds are tested.

Dr. Tilson has been in the veterinary business for several years, having been established in Oneonta and Delhi before coming here. He is a graduate of the Cornell Veterinary school.

Former Cooperstown Man Promoted.

Cooperstown friends of Dr. J. L. Barnard, former resident of this village, have received word that he has been appointed director of social studies in the state of Pennsylvania. His field will cover history, civics and social science. The appointment was made by Dr. Thomas E. Finigan, superintendent of public instruction.

Speaker Girl Reported Improved.

Myrtle Inez Spraker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Spraker, who has been critically ill for several days with bronchial pneumonia, is reported today as being slightly improved. Dr. Frederick A. Miller, a Utica specialist, was called here on the case earlier in the week. Many friends of the family will hope for a continued improvement.

WESTFORD REVIVAL SERVICE.

Rev. Harland Tuttle Brings Convincing Gospel Message.

Westford, Dec. 16.—A large and appreciative audience welcomed Rev. Harland Tuttle, evangelist, and Prof.

Hobart, Dec. 16.—Attorney A. L. O'Connor is on a business trip to Binghamton. — Miss Bella McDonald, Miss Isabell King and Hugh King were Oneonta callers today. — Rev. and Mrs. D. S. Haynes were called to Sidney today by the serious illness of Mrs. Haynes' mother. — Mrs. F. H. Odell and Mrs. G. J. Galup are in Oneonta for a short time. — Mr. and Mrs. George Atwater of Jewett were today with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. King.

— The Hobart High school basket-

John L. Gillis singer, when they held a service at the Westford Baptist church Monday night.

Evangelist Tuttle and Prof. Gillis, who are now conducting revival services at Schenectady, held a successful evangelistic campaign at Westford early in November. It was in response to the wishes of their many friends here that they decided to forego their usual Monday "rest night" and return for an evening's meeting.

The evangelist gave a powerful message in the straightforward, convincing manner so characteristic of him, choosing as his subject Barumena, the blind beggar. Prof. Gillis sang several pleasing solos. Many from Schenectady attended the service.

Milford to Play at Seminary.

Milford, Dec. 16.—The Milford basketball team will play the Schenectady High school team at the Yerkes gymnasium at Hartwick Seminary on Friday evening of this week, commencing at 8 o'clock.

On Wednesday evening the Milford team was defeated at Unadilla by the Unadilla team, 40 to 6.

AT MIDDLEFIELD.

Ladies' Auxiliary Holds Annual Meeting Next Monday.

Middlefield, Dec. 16.—The ladies of the auxiliary society of the Methodist church will hold their annual business meeting and election of officers on Monday afternoon, Dec. 20, at the home of Mrs. George Snider.

Community Supper.

The people of the Baptist and Methodist churches have decided to have a community supper in the Methodist church on Friday evening, Dec. 24.

Community Supper.

Cooperstown Junction Notes.

Cooperstown Junction, Dec. 16.—Rev. and Mrs. Charles Kramer, Mrs. Willard C. Fowler and Mrs. Hortense Maynard, all of Cooperstown, were guests today at the homes of Miss Inetta Dayton and Adon Dayton. — Mrs. A. D. Osterhout and Mrs. Murray Bostwick were Oneonta shoppers today.

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CHRISTMAS SEAL CAMPAIGN.

"If there are slack business conditions and unemployment, this is only an added reason for vigorously pushing the Christmas Seal campaign during the rest of December." Harvey Lee Brown, state director of the 1920 Christmas Seal campaign, wrote a letter issued to all Christmas Seal campaign representatives.

"Reports on the first ten days of the campaign," the state director says, "indicate a most interesting and encouraging situation throughout the state. Campaign organizations are standing up to the work with remarkable energy and good results. Long hours, perseverance, determination and faith are evident everywhere.

"A slack financial situation seems reflected in the returns in several countries, but in connection with this the following should be remembered: Conditions of unemployment intensify the need for tuberculous work.

Temporary unemployment is an illustration of the more tragic situation arising when a bread-winner is stricken by tuberculosis. He is forced to give up his work, not temporarily, but for months or years. Perhaps he never

will be able to right his way back to health and earning power, at least not without help. This tragic situation

exists in thousands of families where tuberculosis has come.

Conditions of unemployment come and go, but tuberculosis steadily and continuously puts men out of the game of life and brings their families to want. Times like these make the purchase of Christmas Seals more imperative than ever.

Every committee can still get its full quota if it does not become weary and if it refuses to be content with less.

These are more evident earnestness and devotion in this campaign than in former years—nothing should satisfy us but complete success. The full quota can be raised and will be raised if each committee does its utmost. New York state expects to lead every state in the union again this year both in gross receipts and in per capita sales."

MOTHERS' PENSION MOVEMENT.

Forty out of the 48 states have now adopted some form of Mothers' pension, according to facts made public in the annual report of the chief of the Children's bureau of the United States Department of Labor. They have recognized the principle that children should not be taken from their mothers because of poverty alone. The rapid extension of the Mothers' Pension movement indicates the general belief of the country in the paramount value of home life and a mother's care.

However, although large grants have been made in many of our states, the amounts in general are far too small. The increased cost of living has not been met and the full purpose of the laws is not attained. Some of the states are now making careful studies of increased costs so that allowances may respond to the higher prices.

The systems of administration vary widely in the different states. So also do the amount of the allowances and the methods of supervision. The Children's bureau points the necessity of making a careful investigation of the methods in use in all the states so that the country may be given the benefit of all the experience which has been gained through the operation of these laws.

CONSTITUTIONAL LEAGUE.

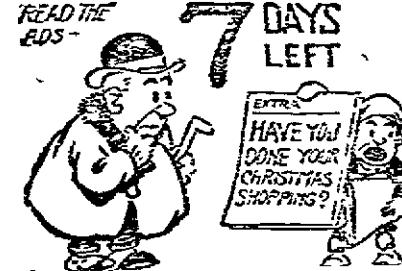
Would Have Copies of Federal Constitution Distributed.

In its efforts to secure a better understanding of American institutions and the fundamental principles upon which the American government is founded, the Constitutional League is seeking to have copies of the federal constitution distributed to all the homes of the country.

Charles I. Wetherow of New York city, representing the league, is in this city endeavoring to interest citizens in providing for Oneonta county. Just at present Oneonta and the county is interested and working for several projects that are most worthy and while the purposes of the league are most praiseworthy and worthy of support it would seem quite possibly the wiser course to suspend this activity for the present at least.

SERIOUS SURGICAL OPERATION.

Clifford J. Nichols of 12 West Street underwent an exceedingly serious operation for appendicitis on Wednesday, at the Marshall hospital. The operation was entirely successful, and Mr. Nichols condition is as favor as could be expected.



COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

Let the State Do It.

Senator Henry M. Sage is hopelessly old-fashioned; he believes in living within income. More than that, he believes his counties will not realize as much from taxes in every man paying his own bills. Still more, he believes the state of the country does not owe every man of the large New York buyers, have a living, neither is it incumbent on the state to feed, clothe and give medical attention to everybody.

It takes a courageous man these days to stand up and utter such fox. Since the beginning of the war heresies at a time when the revolutionaries have been obtained for the state is to "let the state pay for it." Yet the members of the Schenectady Fur Club seemed to agree that Senator Sage was uttering sensible truth when he maintained that the state had gone too far in paying the bills of every locality in the state, and even in extending costly favors to those outside the state.

The fact of the matter is, as Senator Sage put it, the community forgets the vital fact that when they believe the state is paying for it, the state is paying for it with their money. — [Schenectady Union Star.]

Bargain Sale in Onions.

The collector of the port of New York had a bargain auction sale recently of perishable and other goods confiscated by customs officials. Among the goods offered were 6,000 bags of onions. The best bid was 10 cents a bag and the onions were sold at that figure. It was learned that half an hour after the onions were sold at 10 cents a bag the purchasers sold the onions at another auction for 35 cents a bag, realizing a profit of \$150 for an hour's work. Uncle Sam was the loser in the transaction. — [Utica Press.]

In a Bad Fix.

"Maud is in terrible predicament. That rich old man she has promised to marry has offered to have his life insured in her favor."

"I should say that was extremely considerate of him."

"But you don't understand. If his physical condition is such that any insurance company will accept him as a risk she doesn't want to marry him." — [Boston Transcript.]

The New Oliver Twist.

Every time we hear from D'Anunzio he seems to be wanting something more in the way of land or sea. — [Des Moines Register.]

A Merit Trifle.

A New York musical manager declares that actors will have to take less because it costs so much to move baggage. It cannot be believed that the baggage devoted to costumes is what causes the terrible expense. — [Washington Evening Star.]

Children Are the Past.

Children in these days are not only the future but they are the past. The younger they are the better. They know nothing of the war, nor of the peace, nor of the troubles of the current world. They are a kind of poultice for the heart, and there are many hearts that need soothing. — [E. S. Martin in Life.]

Freedom in the Old Days.

"You remember our volunteer fire department."

"Ah, yes. Those were the good old days."

"We wore red shirts and glazed helmets."

"Sure, and a married man could get out two or three nights a week to answer a fire alarm without a word of argument." — [Birmingham Age-Herald.]

Horses For Sale.

Have just received my second load this month. As I will not have any more western ones until after New Years, better buy now as you will get them cheaper than later. H. W. Sheldon, 256 Main street, Oneonta. It

Seventy-five head of heifers and dry fat cows for beef. Will sell by the chunk or quarter. Don't forget to call \$31-1 and get the price. Delbert R. Decker, 30 Gilbert street.

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TO BE HELD NEXT THURSDAY FOR POSITION OF PATROLMAN ON LOCAL FORCE.

Oneonta Company Building Permanent Structure at Gooder Lake.

A civil service examination for the position of patrolman on the Oneonta police force will be held on Thursday afternoon, December 13, in the Municipal building, according to an announcement made yesterday. Any man interested in the position may secure further information at the city clerk's office.

The new building is modelled after the Cutler ice houses at Binghamton to secure an extra policeman to fill which have proven very convenient any vacancy that may arise on the and well insulated so that the loss local force. Patrolman Harry Cross from shortage is very small. It is 55 feet and is constructed upon the unit plan so that later additional units can be constructed if needed. The building machine is complete and even

probably will get an immediate appointment to the force.

The company has also purchased a

for the examination must be in the new gasoline power field saw which

hands of the city clerk by noon on the day of the test, and the sooner they are turned in the better.

the field to be harvested hereafter to be done with power equipment.

The company, which has been oblig

ed to purchase a supply during the past few weeks for present needs, is hoping that the present winter will see a sufficient harvest to meet all demands during the coming summer.

POLICEMEN'S EXAMINATION.

ERECTING NEW ICE HOUSE.

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How many medium priced gifts must you give this Christmas? Possibly these suggestions may help you decide.

There are many novelties that are of practical use. There are the Japanese Blue Print Luncheon Cloths and Sets. The Cloths begin at 98 cents each. The napkins are \$1.20 a dozen. Novel, useful and with the inimitable flavor of the Orient, they are excellent gifts.

The dainty Enamelled Cloth Luncheon Sets attractively stenciled on a cloth to which dishes will not stick and which are washable with a damp rag, are another Christmas novelty of distinct usefulness. These cost from \$1.75 to \$3.50.

Towel Sets at \$1.15 and \$1.65 make fine gifts. Linen, Huck and Damask Towels at \$1.35, \$1.75 and \$2.00 will delight the heart of any present or prospective housewife. Fine, heavy colored bordered Turkish Towels at \$1.05 and \$1.12½ are practical and desirable presents.

Silk Hose costs from \$2.00 to \$3.00, and our excellent Wool, Heather Mixture Hose, \$2.75.

You will find very attractive Neckwear in the latest styles at only 25 cents to \$1.75. Veils are excellent presents too often overlooked. The new and solidish square Veils are \$2.25 to \$3.

We have a very fine line of Leather Bags and Purses. You will find some very desirable numbers of Purses in both tooled and plain leather, from \$2.25 with bags at a slightly higher figure.

Our real Japanese Crepe Kimonos begin at \$1.98. Black and Santa Petticoats at \$2.25 and \$2.50 are very desirable gifts.

Handkerchiefs, of course, you can find in all styles and at all prices.

Table Scarfs, trimmed with lace or of attractive cretonne, make fine presents at from 50 cents up.

It's Easy to Shop at Capron's

Indian Print Luncheon Sets of thirteen pieces at \$1.25 make a unique gift. The Japanese Print Sets at \$2.75 are unusual.

A Ribbon Sash or Hair Ribbon costs from \$1.00 to \$3.00, in fine quality Ribbon, and is a nice gift for the girl.

Gloves are always good. Our fine wool Gauntlet Gloves are only \$2.25. Fine Fabric Gloves are \$1.19, with the fashionable gauntlet styles at \$3.00. We have some fine White Kid Gloves from \$2.25 to \$3.00, with French Kid in colors at \$3.00 and \$3.25.

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LOOKING
GIFTS
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BLUE
ROOM
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We have an unusually fine showing of Christmas Lingerie in fine muslin and silk. Many of these garments, with their eternal feminine appeal, are within the price limits we have set for our talk today.

We have very desirable Silk Camisoles, beginning at \$1.25 and fine Silk Vests at \$3.00.

Gowns, Chemises, Boudoirs or Breakfast Caps, Bloomers — There are many gifts from this department.

We have a particularly fine showing of Silk Kimonos and Negligees that make the daintiest of all desirable gifts.

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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

8 a. m. 39
2 p. m. 29
8 p. m. 27
Maximum 32 Minimum 27

LOCAL MENTION

Housewives of Oneonta will not forget the public market, to be held tomorrow from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m., at the usual location on Market street, near Main.

There was a good attendance at the firemen's dance held in Municipal hall last night. This was the second of the weekly affairs, which will be continued throughout the winter months, if the attendance warrants.

A Christmas cantata, The Prince of Peace, by E. L. Ashford, will be given Sunday evening at the First Methodist Episcopal church in place of the usual evening service. The cantata will be rendered by a large chorus, assisted by an orchestra.

The attention of drymen is called to the annual meeting of the Oneonta Jersey Cattle club, which will be held tomorrow at the Windsor hotel in this city. Officers will be elected and there will be an address by a representative of the American Jersey Cattle club.

TO DISCUSS GAS SITUATION

Chamber of Commerce Directors to Confer with Manager Chambers.

The gas situation in the city, with so many people coming to depend upon it for cooking and the coal supply, none too encouraging, is becoming a serious one, one that should be remedied if possible. The matter has been before the Chamber of Commerce directors for several weeks but during the illness of General Manager Chambers nothing has been done.

Now that he has recovered and is at business again, a conference with him has been arranged for this evening at the Chamber rooms at which it is hoped a discussion will be held and some decision reached that may result in the conditions being remedied. The Chamber directors appreciate the conditions under which public service corporations are laboring and approach the discussion in a friendly spirit and with hopes that some means of affording the public relief will be found.

Meetings Today.

The Ladies' guild of St. James' church will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the parish rooms. There is much work to be done.

All members of the Oneonta American Legion are urged to meet at the Oneonta Auto Exchange on Broad street this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of Herbert H. Olds.

Regular meeting of Oneonta council, No. 388, United Commercial Travelers, in Odd Fellows' hall, this evening at 7:30 sharp.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will meet this afternoon at 2:30. Business of importance.

The ladies of Perseverance Lodge, No. 96, will meet at the home of Mrs. DeLaMater, 4 Fifth street, this afternoon at 1:30, to attend the funeral of the son of Sister Olds.

Special meeting of Boilermakers and Helpers at 7 o'clock.

Some Needy Home Folks.

There are some needy cases in the city, especially some children that are insufficiently clothed. The Social Service federation has issued a call for cast-off clothing that still has some wear and warmth and requests all residents having articles of that nature suitable both for men and women and children as well that it be left at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. It will be promptly distributed to worthy people.

Woman's Club.

The Christmas entertainment for the Girls' Sewing class will be held Saturday at 2:20. Club members welcome.

Books in Series

For boys and girls. Among them are the Burgess Bedtime Stories, Bailey's Sleepytime Tales, the Every Child Should Know series, the Booby Twins, Our Young Aeroplane Scouts, The Ranch Girls, the Miss Pat series, the Boy Scouts, the Wonder Island Boys, the Broncho Rider Boys and many others. The Oneonta Press, Inc.

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Christmas Trees.

Vermont spruce—the kind that holds up—all sizes. Phone 252. Oneonta Trucking Co., under town dock.

Making and Spending.

Lost—Thursday evening, a lady's pocketbook containing sum of money and receipt made out to Roy W. Hinsell. Finder kindly return to Strand theatre or Star office.

Merry Christmas.

Say it with Columbia records, a present that is sure to please. 15,000 records to select from. Van Vle's Grafanola shop, 14-16 Dietz street.

Canning's Orchestra.

All engagements given prompt attention. 8 Ford avenue or phone 1162-W.

Spare tire with rim found Tuesday.

Owner may recover at Lauren & Bird's store by giving description.

Holiday Stationery.

Fresh fish, oysters and clams. Phone 595-W. Prompt delivery. Ellis market, 162 Main street.

DR. WILEY WILL ATTEND

Assistant Commissioner of Education to Give Address at Teachers' Conference Next Monday and Tuesday.

Teachers of the Oneonta Public and Normal schools and the schools of the towns of Miford, Oneonta, Otego and Unadilla, comprising the fourth school district of Oneonta county, will meet for a conference at the Oneonta High school near Monday and Tuesday.

Indications point to a good attendance and some interesting sessions.

Prominent local and outside instructors will give addresses touching on the problems facing the educational world today, and all the various subjects, such as mathematics, history, geography, etc., will be discussed by teachers qualified in the respective branches.

The complete program for the two days is as follows:

Monday, December 20.

A. M. 10:15—Registration.

10:15—Invocation, Rev. Dr. E. E. Farley.

11:00—Address, Dr. George M. Wiley, Assistant Commissioner of Elementary Education.

1:15—Biology, Dr. A. G. Clement, Education Department Specialist.

1:15—Mathematics, Dr. F. E. Seymour, Education Department Specialist.

1:15—Arithmete, Prof. A. M. Curtis, Oneonta Normal (Elementary Teachers).

2:15—Biology, Dr. Clement.

2:15—History, Dr. E. P. Smith, Education Department Specialist (High School Teachers).

2:15—Geography, Prof. W. D. Johnson, Teacher Training Specialist (Elementary Teachers).

3:15—Mathematics, Dr. Seymour, (High School Teachers).

3:15—History, Dr. Smith, (High School Teachers).

3:15—Reading, Prof. Johnson, (Elementary Teachers).

Tuesday, December 21.

A. M. 9:00—Singing.

9:15—Physical Training, Prof. Daniel Chase, Education Department Specialist (Elementary Teachers).

9:15—Some Suggestions Concerning Methods, Dr. George J. Dunn, (High School Teachers).

10:15—Physical Training, Prof. Chase, (Elementary Teachers).

10:15—English, Mrs. Eugenie Simons, Education Department Specialist (High School Teachers).

11:15—Essentials of Expression, Dr. C. A. Schumacher, (Elementary Teachers).

11:15—English, Mrs. Simons, (High School Teachers).

P. M. 1:15—Forestry, Captain W. A. McDonald, State College of Forestry.

2:15—The Opportunity of the Teaching Profession, Prof. A. M. Curtis.

On Monday evening, the teachers in attendance at the conference will be entertained by "A Pageant of the Pillgrims," to be given by the members of the Freshman and Sophomore classes of the Oneonta High school, under the direction of Miss Bessie R. Cowan, instructor of public speaking. The music will be under the direction of Miss Jean Daggett, supervisor of music.

Seeking An Outlet.

W. H. Jack, formerly of this city but for many years residing in the vicinity of New York, has been in the city for a couple of days looking for an outlet for an over-production of underwear and hose from a mill in which he is interested. The market has been excellent up until the past few months and now the factory has an overproduction of more than \$160,000 worth which it is the intention to move by retail at wholesale prices if necessary.

The Men's club of the First Presbytarian church will meet in the church parlor Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock. Dr. Morton E. Brownell will talk on his own personal experiences in Syria and the Holy Land, giving his impressions of the land and the people, their past and their possible outlook for the future. There will follow a social hour and a cafeteria lunch. All the men of the congregation are invited.

For more information, call 1162-W.

We are taking orders for turkeys, ducks and large roasting chickens for Christmas. Kenney Bros., 2 Dietz street.

Christmas trees for sale at H. C. Whitcomb's, 18 Dietz street.

THE WESLEYAN CONCERT

Combined Musical Clubs Appear Here Saturday, January 1.

The combined Musical Clubs of Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., will give a concert in the Oneonta High school auditorium Saturday evening, January 1, under the auspices of the High School athletic association. Following the concert, there will be dancing and a large number of young people home from college for the holidays are expected to attend.

There is considerable interest in the local concert as there are several Wesleyan alumni in the city and four Oneonta boys are now at Wesleyan, Bruce L. LeSear and Crosby J. Seydel, '21, Raymond C. Hough, '22, and Francis A. Lee, '24. The clubs will be entertained in the homes of Wesleyan men during their stay in Oneonta.

Thirty-five men make up the personnel of the glee club and the Midnight Sons orchestra which are giving joint concerts this year. The clubs have had an especially successful season thus far and during the Christmas holidays they will make an extensive trip through New York, Connecticut, New Jersey and Massachusetts.

Considerable variety marks the performances given this year. Not only the songs of the glee club and the selections by the orchestra but the numbers by the "Jibers," as the quartet is called, and the original comedy skits by the Johnson twins have been enthusiastically received by large audiences. Music for the dancing will be furnished by the Midnight Sons, an organization which excels in the collegiate interpretation of the latest.

Clyde W. Quick '21, of Newton, N. J., is the leader of the glee club, while the orchestra is under the direction of H. W. Taylor, '21, of Cornwall. Russell McInnes, '22, of Brooklyn, is manager, and W. T. Richmond, '22, of South Manchester, Conn., is assistant manager of the combined clubs.

At the suggestion of Herbert Hoover and the committee which is actively promoting the Child Feeding fund throughout the nation, the following committee has been named to represent the Chamber of Commerce to cooperate with the various organizations whose national bodies are aiding the fund campaign and to assist in any way possible in promoting the fund locally: O. B. Rowe, Irving H. Rowe, L. E. Wilder, Mrs. Merton L. Ford and Mrs. Frank M. Gurney.

The activity is taking on increased impetus since the national organizations have become interested in the project and have endorsed it and have named representatives to act upon the general committee.

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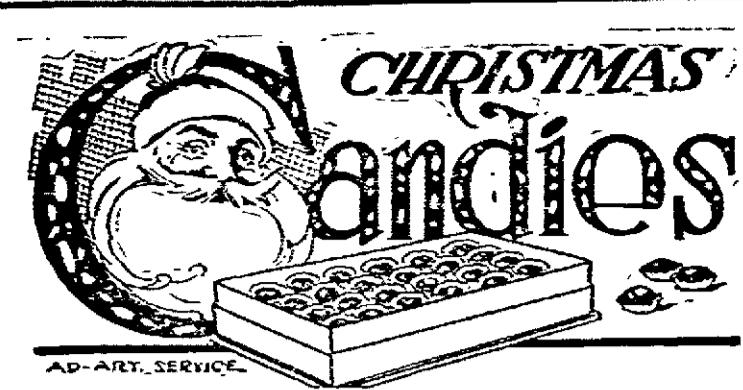
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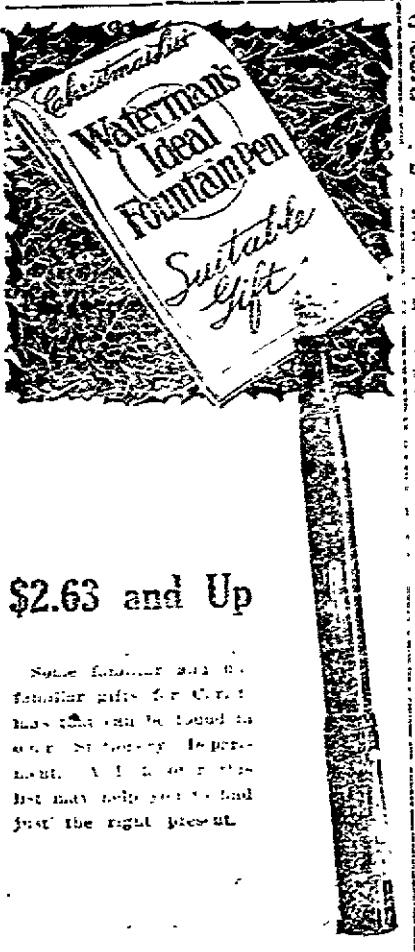
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Chocolate Covered Raspberry Drops—

Chocolate Covered Cream Walnuts—

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A Waste Paper Basket for the house-
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filled with an assortment of good pencils
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Volland's Framed Notions are choice
bits, the re-entertainments, 75 cents to 20 cents.

A Box of Good Velvet or Venus Lead
Pencils would be a nice present for Father
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WHEN CHRISTMAS WAS YOUNG
To Understand Mysteries of the Yule Tide, it is Necessary to Search Ancient History.

IN the midst of the rush and excitement of Christmas preparations certain questions will flash across the mind, and we find ourselves wondering why it is that we do the very same things Christmas after Christmas. Why do we hang stockings, light Christmas trees, trim our homes and have plum pudding?

To understand the origin of these customs we must wander far back into the forgotten past—ages before Julius Caesar set foot on British soil, or St. Augustine told the story of the Cross to the men of Kent. Hundreds of years ago—long before the year 1—the ancients, as we call the people of those times, all worshiped the sun, the great giver of light and life. In the month of March they built big fires to it, asking it to shine upon the seeds they had planted and warm them into life. In the autumn they held another festival, thanking the sun for the harvest, and again, in the winter time, they held the greatest festival of all to celebrate the coming of the springtime.

In ancient Egypt, in Assyria, in Greece, on Roman soil and in the northlands these festivals were celebrated year after year and always about the same time, the winter one being held about New Year's time.

Wherever the Roman eagle was found, this feast was called the Saturnalia and it was marked by universal license and good feeling. All at once Christianity appeared upon the scene. As the policy of the early church was to reconcile heathen converts to the new faith by adopting some of the heathen customs and festivals, the new religion accepted and retained many, and the result, as is easily seen, has been the strange medley of pagan and Christian rites which we use at Christmas time to-day.

After Britain was Christianized by the Romans, the Saxons and northern tribes came, bringing their old northern rites, and as Christianity at last replaced paganism the Christians kept the old pagan rites, merely changing their meaning.

For many years no two lands celebrated the same day as the birthday of Christ. They did not know the exact day, and we do not know it; but this date has now become the most important one in the world's history.

NEED NOT PROMISE TO OBEY

Congregational Church in England Leaves Fateful Word Out of Marriage Service.

London.—Congregationalist brides no longer need promise in the marriage service to obey their husbands.

A committee of the Congregational union of England and Wales, appointed to draw up a new form of service has decided that modern ideas favor the omission of the word "obey," and this notwithstanding the fact that no woman sat on the committee; neither were any requests received from women to omit the fateful word.

"All the churches are becoming less strict in their insistence on the wording of the marriage service," said the secretary of the Women's Freedom league. "Even in Anglican churches the word 'obey' is sometimes omitted at the bride's desire, and a great number of leading nonconformist ministers have lately made a practice of cutting out the vow to obey."

Lore of Precious Stones.
The emerald, the turquoise, the jade, sapphire and topaz all carry abundant lore of love, of sacred and of healing description in their lovely rays and colors. The jade, associated with history from ancient days, is one of the oldest and most curious stones.

Gift Muffs and Furs

Those wonderful plumes that are now known as "wool furs" make necklaces and muffs that are just as warm, just as handsome and more durable than those made of skins, and they are not at all hard to make. A set made of sea pluff is shown here.

DEATH RECALLS OLD CURSE

Sudden Demise of Michael P. Grace Brings Back the Legend of Battle Abbey.

London.—The sudden death of Michael P. Grace, father of the countess of Donegoughmore, recalls a legend connected with Battle Abbey, which he related from Sir Augustus Webster.

The great establishment was seized by Henry VIII, and it is said that the last abbot pronounced a curse that the owners of it should meet death by drowning. It is stated that Lord Montague, who owned the property in the eighteenth century, was drowned, and a similar fate befell his two nephews. Lady Webster, wife of the present owner, was drowned three years ago and a short time later the eldest daughter of the tenant then occupying the abbey lost her life in a similar way.

Plum Pudding of Other Days.

A great deal has been said, written and sung about the plum puddings of old England, but centuries ago it had a formidable rival for epicurean favor known as plum-pottage or porridge. It consisted of beef or mutton made into a broth, thickened with brown bread, which was then thoroughly boiled after raisins, currants, prunes, cloves, mace and ginger had been added. This dish is now entirely obsolete, though "Poor Richard's Almanac" mentions it as late as 1750, and a Mrs. Frazer, who published a cook-book in Edinburgh in 1751, announcing herself on its title page as the only teacher of the great art of cookery in that city, gives a recipe for making it while Braud, the popular antiquary, tells how he partook of it at a Christmas dinner in the mansion of an old English gentleman in 1821, but it has long since been wholly supplanted by plum pudding. The origin of the latter is veiled into obscurity. The earliest cook-book which makes any reference to it is the one by Mrs. Frazer already referred to as containing a recipe for plum porridge.

"Red" Lenfers Ousted From Germany. M. Zinoviet and M. Legovskiy, Russian soviet delegates to a socialist conference at Halle, have been ordered by the German government to leave the country.

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For Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. For sale by all druggists, mail \$1.00. WILLIAMS' FILE CO., P. O. Box 1, Cleveland, Ohio. On Sale at Marsit, The Druggists.

GUARDS POST MAIL IN ERIN

Truck Filled With Soldiers and Police Carries Government Bags to Post Office.

Cork—A state of excitement which is difficult for Americans and Englishmen to appreciate unless experienced prevails in Cork and throughout Ireland.

The following can be given as an illustration: As the Associated Press correspondent was passing the general post office a motor truck filled with soldiers and police, with rifles ready, dashed in the main entrance. Several of them descended and entered the post office, one policeman, holding a pistol, putting himself in the doorman.

This was nothing more than the posting of military mails, the elaborate precautions taken being due to a daring exploit recently, when the government mail bag was snatched from a soldier as he was leaving the post office. The bag was not recovered.

Wise Words.

We may be assured that liberty will not descend to a people; a people must raise themselves to liberty; it is a blessing that must be earned before it can be enjoyed; and what is worth having is worth earnestly striving for.—From the Italian.

Avocado Pear Valuable.
The avocado or alligator pear contains as much nutritious fat as does ordinary cream, sometimes as high as 20 per cent. As it contains little starch or sugar, it might prove valuable in the diet of diabetics if it did not cost so much.

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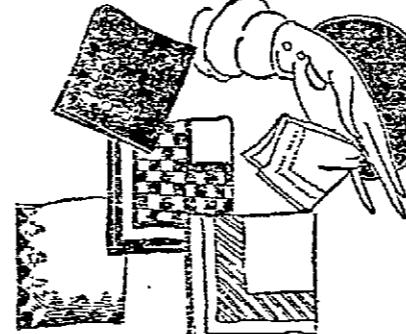
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Men's, women's and children's Handkerchiefs in large assortment of styles, some in boxes. Always good for Christmas gifts. Prices range from 12c to 75c

Hosiery is always good for Christmas gifts. We are showing large assortments of women's lisle and silk Stockings, extra good values, at 50c, 75c, \$1.00

Women's all silk Stockings, regular \$3.00, at \$2.69

Women's Pocketbooks and Hand-bags, exceptionally good for Christmas gifts. Prices range from \$1.25 to \$7.50.

Why not buy a new Corset? We are offering some wonderfully good values in white or flesh colors. \$1.95 to \$4.50.

One lot fine mercerized Corsets, flesh colored, with brocade figures; front lace, \$3.50 values, at \$2.95

Women's fancy white Aprons, lace and embroidery trimmed. 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Buy your Suit, Coat or Dress now at the low prices.

Men's heavy, plain blue Work Shirts: special at \$1.49

Christmas Bed Blankets, double bed size, in handsome plaids. The kind that will keep you warm: at \$7.95

50 pairs Bed Blankets in plaids, plain, white or gray, with pink or blue borders, at \$4.95

Turkish Towels, extra good, at 85c

Huck Towels, good size and excellent value, at 19c, 33c and 48c

Camisoles for Christmas gifts, in flesh and dark colors. 95c to \$1.75 Underwear bargains: 100

Men's \$1.95 Shirts and Drawers, in gray ribbed, special at \$1.19

Men's heavy fleeced lined Shirts and Drawers at 95c

Men's fine triple woven lace Hosiery, in black and colors, at 48c

Men's silk Neckties: large assortment of extra good values, 75c, 95c, \$1.50 and \$1.75

Japanese Table Covers, in blue and white, 64 and 84, hemstitched, \$2.75 and \$3.75

Japanese blue and white Dresser Scarfs, 34 inches, at \$2.95

Large size Street Cars \$1.75

Rocking Chairs, \$1.25 to \$2.95



The Toy Department is at its best now. You are sure to get a better selection if you do not wait. Buy your Toys now!

Washing Sets with enamelled top lines: basket, wringer and clothes pins. Complete \$2.98

Children's Kitchen Cabinets, Dolls, Chairs and Tables

Doll's Beds, wire or white enamel 50c to \$2.50

Doll Carriages, \$1.25 to \$15.00

Black Boards, well made and very substantial, at \$3.75

Buy a Pool Table for the boys, at \$2.50

Hook and Ladder Trucks, Fire Engines

Kiddie Cars, \$2.25 to \$2.98

Train of Cars and Track will please the small boy, at \$2.25

Large size Street Cars \$1.75

Rocking Chairs, \$1.25 to \$2.95

BOSTON STORE

WHO CAN ANSWER?
Man the Right to Expect More Than He Can Give?
In the manner in which the public received "The Mirage" since its opening three weeks ago in Times Square theatre, is a keen commentary on human nature. This is a gripping sex-drama by Ed- clowyn of which Florence Reed is star. In it Miss Reed portrays a woman who finds herself in the most difficult situation any woman is ever in—young woman to help them negotiate upon to face because she has their business deals by assuring them love is great enough to lift him above his faith with her own woman-

hood. The name of this girl is Irene. She wants to interest. It is to serve the course he has a bitter struggle, for Moreland. Her friends call her Rene, ringleader of this clique that Rene has his own ideals of womanhood have been pretty sacred things, and for the one woman in his life to fall short of them is a tremendous blow. But he conquers pride and sorrow that he may stand by the woman in her hour of greatest need.

Then comes Rene's own struggle, for Galt does not stop with his information to Manning. Later he points out to the girl what will happen if she allows herself to marry Manning and go back to Erie with him. She is shown the picture of the future of the man she loves—hampered and shamed and obstructed by her past. If she were the utterly selfish and callous woman he is, "the easiest way" might be easy, have made her she would doubtless have feathered her own nest irrespective of whom it might hurt. But the truth is that Rene's ideals and dreams of girlhood have survived even the life into which she drifted after she came to New York. At heart she is a big woman, as she proves when she is brought to the necessity of deciding whether she will accept her happiness at the cost of Manning's peace, or renounce herself and everything for which she yearns for his sake.

This is the decision which has caused such discussion among the big audiences which have been taxying the capacity of the Times Square theatre, New York, since that lovely new playhouse opened its doors to the public on October 29th with Florence Reed in "The Mirage."

Legion Endorses Green.

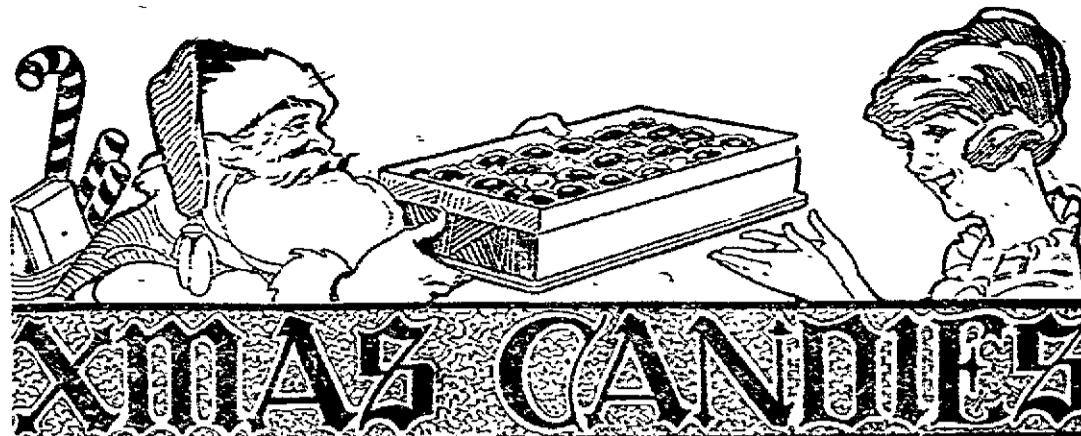
At a recent meeting of the American Legion a resolution was passed requesting the retention of Col. Green as commissioner of highways for the state under Governor-elect Miller. It has been announced that, although his term has two or three years yet to run, he has declared that his resignation will be placed in the hands of Mr. Miller immediately after January 1. Other organizations have taken similar action, including the Troy Chamber of Commerce. The subject has been presented to the local Chamber but thus far no action has been taken.

Take Notice that the partnership existing between Clark W. Tillinghast and Richard M. Collier, under the firm name of Tillinghast & Collier, No. 234 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons having bills against said partnership, should present the same on or before the second day of January, 1921.

Dated Dec. 2, 1920.
Clark W. Tillinghast,
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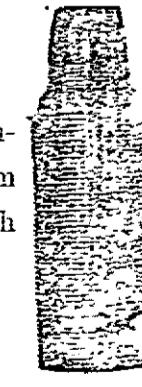
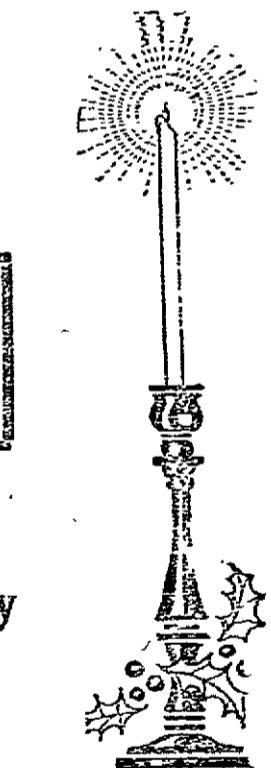
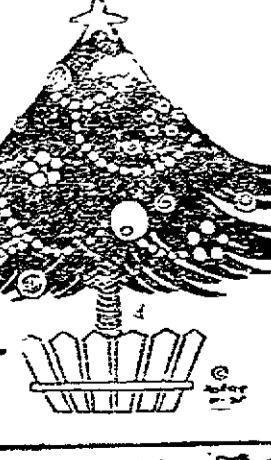
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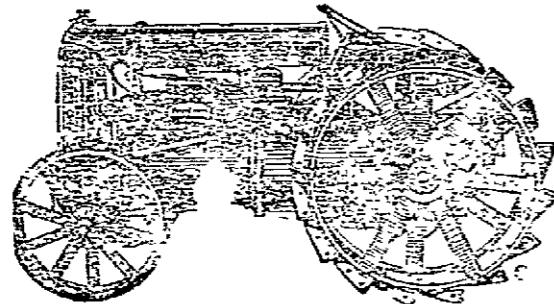
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The Ford One Ton Truck is serving business just as faithfully and economically as the rest of the Ford family is serving all the people.

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TRADE MARK



Fordson Tractor

Christmas means planning not only for Christmas but for the entire New Year.

If you are a farmer, think what a Fordson Tractor will mean to you in the way of hauling your wood and logs and the power to convert same into your year's fuel. In the spring, as well, it takes the place of horse power doing your plowing and harrowing. In haying and harvesting it draws your mower and reaper, hauls your loads of hay and grain and later furnishes the power to drive your thresher, hay balers and silo filler.

What the Ford car has meant to the people of America in general the Fordson Tractor stands for to the farmer and all who are in need of power.

Interesting news relating to the Ford Motor Company and the Ford Car.

7,750,000 Ford cars manufactured in the United States since 1909.

103,000 Ford cars and Tractors made in the month of October.

The largest power house boilers in the world are now being installed in one of the Ford Motor Company's Detroit plants. To demonstrate just how big they really are, eight full-grown Ford cars were driven into one of them recently.

Ford cars are being made at the plant of the Ford Motor Company at the rate of one every eighteen seconds.

The banner day at the Ford plant was October 26th, when 4,688 cars were brought forth.

Ford literature describing and illustrating Ford cars is printed in ten languages.

\$7,000,000.00 is to be paid to the employees of the Ford Motor Company January 1st as bonus.

New Prices On Ford Products

	LIST PRICE	DELIVERED PRICE
Touring-regular	\$440.00	\$493.36
Touring - starter	510.00	566.25
Runabout - regular	395.00	446.50
Runabout - starter	465.00	519.39
Chassis	360.00	403.60
Coupe, starter and dem. rims..	745.00	810.94
Sedan, starter and dem. rims. .	795.00	865.00
Truck, pneumatic tires	545.00	593.17
Fordson Tractor	790.00	825.00
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The three Airplanes which recently made the trip from Garden City to Alaska and return were equipped with Liberty motors made by the Ford Motor Company in the Detroit plant.

It was during the fall of 1909 that Henry Ford placed on the market his now famous Model "T"—the car that brought Ford unquestioned supremacy in the motor car industry. To date, more than four and one-half million of this one model have been built and distributed to the four corners of the world. Of models prior to the "T", thirty thousand were manufactured.

During 1910, 18,644 Ford cars were built, a tremendous output for those days. Yet in ten years from that time Ford production has grown to more than one million a year.

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WHERE BRIDE'S KIN LINGER | SQUATTERS IN AUSTRIAN PARK

Returning Missionary Warns Young Men Against Going to South America to Wed.

Tacoma, Wash.—Warning to young men not to go to South America to marry was given recently by Mrs. Charles Robinson, Tacoma, who recently arrived here after serving several years as an educational missionary in Bolivia.

"In the typical high-class Bolivian home of forty rooms the young bride often receives her relatives for visits of five or six years' duration," she said.

Bell Foiled Thieves.

Among records of stolen bells is that of one from Soissons in Burgundy, which Clochette carried away. The bell objected to the act by gradually becoming dumb on the journey to Paris, where its voice was discovered gone. But its voice returned in such full force when the bell was sent home that its tone could be heard seven miles distant.

FARRAGUT'S CABIN BOY

Vienna—Squatters have taken pos- session of the famous Launz-Tiergarten on the outskirts of Vienna, and where once the royal stags and wild boars roamed on rich meadows and under splendid oaks, huts are being erected and ground broken for crops.

Some months ago a group of men, mostly war invalids, formally demanded this park from the government, giving notice that if their demands were not met within a certain period they would take possession.

The demand was ignored by the authorities, so when the period expired several hundred men marched quietly to the entrance and demanded admission. The keepers swung open the gates and the men entered and staked out their claims, placing a model hut in one of the open grassed spaces as a symbol of possession. It is said 1,700 families will take up claims.

Novel Christmas Salad Bowl.

By the time that the salad course arrives at the Christmas dinner all that surround the festive board are apt to be warm. It will be refreshing to see the salad come to the table in a block of ice. Smooth the ice square with a hot flat iron and make a cavity in the center with the same utensil. Border with crisp lettuce and sprigs of holly and fill with salad. Place the block on several thicknesses of cloth or a deep platter and put around it a wreath of holly.

Didn't Use His Weapons.

A dog stolen in New York had three gold teeth and wore a collar studded with a hundred brilliant stones. If he had been a real dog, he would have sunk those three gold teeth into the thief. —Minneapolis Journal.

Farrell's

AT

HOT MARGARINE
THE COCONUT SPREAD FOR BREAD
tastes good and is good. 21



John Earle, Chinese, but a native son of California, has sailed the seven seas. His maritime memory recalls the time when, at eleven years of age, he was cabin boy with Farragut in the old Ironsides, back in the youth of the United States navy.

Ice-Block for Mouths.

Name, Alaska.—Capt. Joe Bernard and A. Anderson have arrived here with their vessel, the *Teddy Bear*, after four years spent in the Arctic, during 25 months of which time they were ice-bound at Taylor Island in Victoria strait, near King William Land. Captain Bernard brought with him a native of the land of Stefansson's blonde Eskimos, but declared that after two years' search of that district he was unable to locate any of the blonde natives. He found sod houses evidently of great age on East Carnation gulf, he said, and brought back pieces of old ivory and other curios uncovered in the ruins.

Tooth Bottles.

A new invention is a miniature hot-water bottle for toothache. It holds only half an ounce, and is just big enough to be comfortably retained between the cheek and a painful tooth. All toothaches are not curable by application of heat, but in many instances this method is successful.

Slang and Idioms.

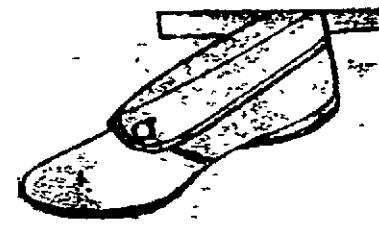
That the slang and idioms of today will be correct English tomorrow is the opinion of Professor Glickman, University of Wisconsin. "Our language is made up of what was once slang, idioms, colloquialism and jargon," he said recently.



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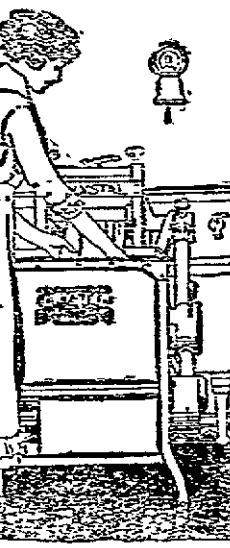


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OPPOSE CIVIL PRACTICE ACT

BAR OF OTSEGO COUNTY, AT SPECIAL MEETING LAST NIGHT, MAKES KNOWN ITS ATTITUDE.

New Measure Is Scheduled to Supplement Code of Civil Procedure Next April 15—Judge Kellogg Explains Why He Is Opposed to Act, and Resolution Condemning It Is Unanimously Adopted.

The new state Civil Practice Act, which is scheduled to go into effect on April 15 next, was unanimously disapproved at a well-attended meeting of the Oneonta Bar association held at the Windsor, last evening.

The meeting, which was called especially for the purpose of discussing the new code, was attended by many prominent Oneonta attorneys, and others from Otsego and Delaware counties, who were invited by the Oneonta association. Early in the evening a delicious repast was served by the hotel management to the 15 or more lawyers who were present, and afterwards cigars were passed and an hour's social intercourse indulged in.

Attorney George L. Bockes of this city acted as chairman of the business meeting, and introduced Supreme Court Justice Abraham L. Kellogg, who gave a lengthy talk in which he clearly explained the Civil Practice Act, and pointed out features which he declared were undesirable. He believed the present Code of Civil Procedure was entirely adequate, and it was not necessary to revise the whole code, for if radical changes were needed they could be made by amending the existing code. Judge Kellogg has devoted a great deal of time to the study of the new proposal and is thoroughly convinced that it is not needed.

Following Judge Kellogg's enlightening talk there was an informal discussion among the attorneys and Alva Seybold, James J. Bayard Jr., and George L. Bockes were appointed a committee to draft a resolution which would incorporate the association's attitude toward the Civil Practice Act. The committee went into session immediately and returned shortly with the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, a special meeting of the bar of Otsego county was held at the city of Oneonta on December 15, 1920, for the purpose of considering the provisions of the Civil Practice Act, now be it

"Resolved, That while not opposing a progressive improvement of the practice of the law, or an enlargement of the power of the courts over matters of procedure, we collectively and individually and without exception recommend the immediate repeal of said Civil Practice Act.

"Alva Seybold, chairman;
"James J. Bayard Jr.
"George L. Bockes."

The action of the Otsego county bar follows that taken by numerous other associations about the state, who think that the new proposal is undesirable. The State Bar association has as yet taken no formal action on the new act, and attorneys all over this section will watch with interest the outcome of the agitation.

Before the special meeting was declared "adjourned," Attorney Bayard asked that he might speak a few words and was given the privilege of the floor. He asserted that he wanted the opportunity to voice the appreciation of Otsego county lawyers for the appreciative manner in which Judge Kellogg conducts his sessions of supreme court. He declared that Mr. Kellogg always took into consideration the feelings of the attorneys, and that if all the judges about the state were like him there would be no need of the Civil Practice Act.

Answers to Classified Advertisements.

Advertisers who have used the classified columns of The Star should consult the list of answers not called for published this morning at the head of the classified page.

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Shirts \$4.75
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Then There Isn't One in Town

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Words Cannot Express Our Loss - - A Purchase is the Most
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Wool Union Suits
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Leather Jerkins \$4.25
Unionalls \$2.85
Navy 16 in. laced Arctics \$4.45
Wool Union Suits \$2.45
Heavy Sweaters \$4.95
Work Hose, 5 pairs \$1.00
Wool Hose, 3 pairs \$1.00

R E A D
Work Shoes, Value \$5.50
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Army Navy Marine
At Reduced Prices

Every article is a double saving, because of its reduction and its being the holiday season, when reduction sales are as scarce as the Dodo.

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of a motive power for
ships, the use of its power
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The Eclipse is of 12,609
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40 feet wide. Her electrical propul-
sion was built by the General
Electric company at Schenectady,
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Company of Jersey City.

—A ship by electricity means

the propeller shaft from a

To supply the power to turn

or a generator must be oper-

ated elsewhere in the vessel, just

as in power houses, make

for street railways. On board

these generators may be driven

chemical steam turbine or by

engine.

—Operation Cut in Half.

—Records of the electrically driv-

en Mexico of the United States

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about one-third by the use of

electric power and the

operation is cut in half, prin-

arily a result of the reduced num-

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vers from the bridge, but, if

virtually the entire engine

mechanism can be handled by

one. Among the many ad-

vantages attached to electricity as seen

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and the greatly reduced fuel

consumption.

—First application of the electric

inciple was made on a vessel

driving closely the merchant ship,

the first really successful

use this power was the naval

Jupiter, launched in 1912. It

is ship that proved conclusively

could be used success-

fully on sea-going vessels.

—Admiral W. S. Benson was

of naval operations he encour-

aged the adoption of the electric

drive in naval vessels. After he had retired

from the navy and was appointed to

seat position as chairman of

the board his interest was

again in the electric-drive as

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Prices on many items are lower than last year.

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Just A Few Suggestions

Boudoir Caps, lace

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Work Bags

Fur Coats and Sets

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The above list is only suggestive of the many

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Buffalo Landlady Chases Tenants That
Prefer Dogs Out of Her Building.

Buffalo, N. Y.—Found: An apartment house where children are not only tolerated, but wanted.

"I'd rather make a home for children than for a lot of fussy women with lapdogs," says Mrs. W. L. Williams, known among 75 or more children of her tenants in local apartment hotel as "the mother of the Argyle."

Mrs. Williams took possession of the Argyle some time ago. Children were scarce in the place those days, but the lardog was much in evidence.

"There were no children in the building when we came," says Mrs. Williams, "just a lot of women with dogs—but we chased them out. I love children and the children like me. When they turn them away from other places, we take them in. They are no trouble at all."

A Veteran Leading a Novice. Milton, Ky.—George Williamson, aged ninety-six, reckons he has voted 75 times during the last seventy-five years. This election will be the eighteenth in which he has voted for a president. The experience, however, will be brand new to Mrs. Lucinda Williamson, aged seventy-six, his wife, who is casting her first vote.

"We have demonstrated on our battleship that the electric drive is more economical than the ordinary drive. We must save every gallon of fuel that we possibly can, and when I say that I say it with a good deal of regret, because our competitors will contend that we must go back to coal burning; that we cannot get oil in all parts of the world, or that it doesn't pay, or something like that. If we ever give up fuel-oil, unless we can get something better, we might as well go to the woods, and cut timber for our fuel. We can't compete with foreign competitors on any other than an oil-fuel basis."

Three Cents a Bath.

The per dogs of the gay Parisians supply a source of livelihood to many men in Paris. They are stationed along the Seine river, and do a good business bathing dogs for their owners. Millady sits on one of the park benches along the river while Fido is given a good bath and thoroughly dried—all for three cents.

Silence as a Refuge. The mantle of silence is a great protection against unkind curiosity and tactless sympathy. We have a right to shield our own wounds and the faults of others within its gracious folds, and sometimes it is the part of wisdom to do so.—Exchange.

Christmas Gift Dressings. Tags, seals, inclosure cards, tinsel cord, tissue paper, colored twine, fancy wrapping paper, coin and bill holders. The Oneonta Press, Inc. 51

Lure bait, yellow and bright. 16 Lake street, Cooperstown. Phone number 278-W.

D. E. Robinson of the Junction is in market for furs and will pay highest market prices.

Wanted—Carpets to clean. Oneonta Carpet Cleaning works. Phone 1135-W.

Have you seen Henri?

SORTING OF MAIL ON
SHIPS TO BE RESTORED

General Speeding Up and Investi-
gation of Salaries Also
Are Planned.

Restoration of the sea post to sort America's mail during its voyage from foreign lands is being considered by the efficiency engineers employed to investigate the entire post office department with a view to speeding up its work.

Before the war post office employees traveled on all mail-carrying steamers, sorting and routing letters and packages during the trip. Government vessels met the big ship at quarantine and rushed the pouches to railway terminals in New York and Jersey City, but this has been discontinued.

Now mail arrives unsorted, and the pouches remain on the ship until they dock, often many hours after arrival at quarantine.

Speeding up the transmission of mail

to the men in the navy, nearly all of which is routed through New York to the ships at sea, also is being considered. Expediting the millions of letters which pass through New York from Canada, New England and the middle Atlantic states to various parts of the country is another aim of the efficiency engineers.

They expect soon to make a thorough investigation of salaries in the department pointing out that the efficiency of the system is affected by the morale of the employees. All other phases of the post office department, from its biggest terminals connected by fast airplane to remote rural delivery routes, are to be investigated.

Whatever changes the engineers recommend to abolish sluggish spots in the mail-moving apparatus will first be considered by the joint committee on postal service, which then will pass the matter on to congress.

Watered Stock.

Jimmy (visiting his uncle in the country)—"Oh, Uncle George, your hired man is not honest. He let the cows drink a whole lot of water just before he milked them."

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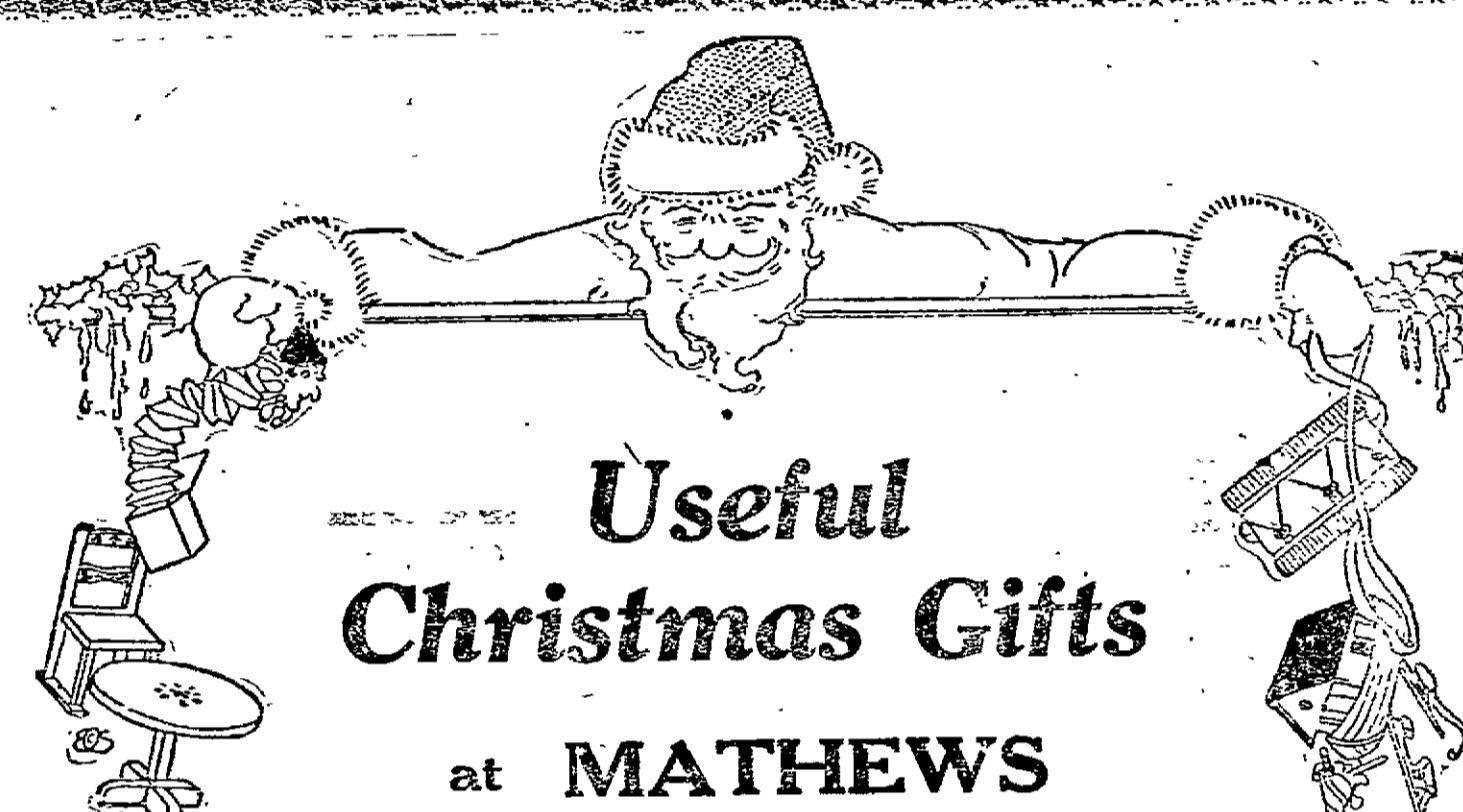
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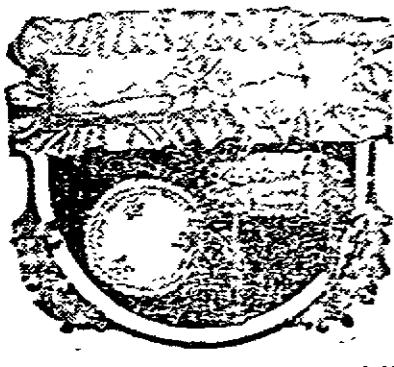
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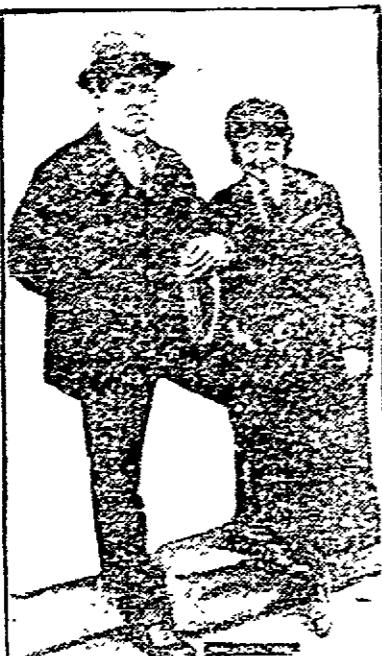
Christmas wouldn't seem natural if a new pincushion failed to make its appearance.

Three new ribbon-covered cushions shown above include a long roll covered with moire and edged with a frill of plain ribbon, a small round affair edged with lace, and a barrel-shaped, hanging cushion, decorated with lace, baby ribbon and satin-covered fruit.

Parents' Problem.
Should boys be allowed to play practical jokes? "Boys will be boys!" Teach them not to go too far; not to give pain; make clear that a joke is funny—something at which every one concerned can laugh. Further that this do not go in the way of restraint—Exchange.

Fearful and Wonderful.
Helen's mother had told her that her legs and arms were like the limbs of the tree and her body like the trunk. One night Helen bumped her knee and running into the other room cried: "Oh, mamma, I hurt the limb of my suitcase."

NEWSBOY KING WEDS



SERBIA'S BIRTH RATE LOWER THAN DEATHS

Human Conservation Is Great Problem in Little War-Wrecked Country.

Sanitation and preventive medicine are the greatest needs of Serbia today. With the approach of cold weather the country will be called upon to combat her old enemy, typhus. American and foreign relief organizations will aid the Serbian authorities in this work.

Human conservation is one of Serbia's great problems. War and disease have sadly depleted the population. Before the war the birth-rate of Serbia was higher than her death-rate. In spite of the inroads of epidemics, her population was increasing at the rate of 50,000 a year. Now it is decreasing. Bereft of her man power, and with her women and children organically wasted, the question of population to till the soil and build up the country is a most serious one.

Another pressing problem facing the country is the immense number of orphans. In old Serbia there are 60,000 full orphans and 200,000 half-orphans. Only 5,000 of these are cared for in orphanages supported by the government or foreign relief agencies. The rest are placed in private homes, where they are not always welcome guests on account of the scarcity of food and the other necessities of life.

AVIATOR WITHOUT ARMS

Qualifies as an Expert and Handles Airship Well.

The only armless aviator in the world is now skinning over the country surrounding San Francisco. Despite his physical handicap, L. C. Thornton of Fresno is qualifying as an expert aviator, his great ambition in life.

Three years ago Thornton lost both his arms in a railroad wreck. Sheer determination and grit have led him to accomplish wonders since that time. He first wanted to drive an automobile. By rigging a slingshot on the side of the steering wheel and with a hole punctured on the rim of iron inside the wheel, Thornton drives with ease.

Thornton recently joined an aviation school and has succeeded in learning the art of flying until he is an expert. He is a first-class machinist and the proprietor of a machine shop in Fresno.

Peary's Flag Floats Away From Pole.
In fact in the ice, the American flag which Commodore Peary planted at the North pole has been found 400 miles away from its original geographical point, by Capt. Godfrid Hansen, leader of the Amundsen auxiliary expedition. Ice drift carried the flag from the pole.

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CHRISTMAS WEEK IN ENGLAND

Time When Scattered Families Are United and Tender Memories Are Revived.

MANY and great are the changes which have occurred in England since Dickens wrote "A Christmas Carol," but they have not affected the national love for the festival and the determination to preserve unimpaired the traditional warmth and friendliness of its celebration. Christmas week is still the greatest week of the year for the English people. It is the one week when scattered families are reunited when tender memories and old associations are revived, when friend greets friend with a cheery expansiveness in striking contrast with the characteristic reserve of the English nature, so undemonstrative to those who do not know it well, apparently so distant and unsympathetic.

From Wednesday all business will be suspended, not to be resumed till Monday morning. The whole nation will give itself up to good cheer and good fellowship, and for a brief season, all strife and controversy are hushed, and peace, charity and concord reign supreme.

Harmful Inquisitiveness.
In Asia and Africa the inquisitiveness of leopards enables the natives to capture them by placing some jars of sweetened water out where they can reach it. The liquid contains a certain variety of dopey herb. At first the curious creatures advance rather cautiously toward the jars and taste the water, then finding the taste agreeable, they proceed to drink the jars empty. As a result, they soon become quite drowsy and offer no resistance when the natives approach to take them.

A Bit Too Much.
The new quartermaster on the good freighter Sioux was at the wheel and was railed. First the ship swung madly to port, then to starboard, and then back again. The old skipper stood her ankles as long as he could, and then burst forth: "Say, son," he shouted, "I don't mind your writing your name in the old pond, but for the love of Mike, stop going back to read it!"—American Legion Weekly.

When you wish "somebody" would invent something new to eat, you need BEECHAM'S PILLS. Even when digestion is good, poisons are formed during its processes that unless eliminated irritate mind as well as body.

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Gifts For Dad, Brother, Husband, Sweetheart

What will Santa Claus bring father and brother and uncle and grandad? Look at this wonderful Christmas array and you know the happy answer. This store is ready for all you folks who have been whispering and wondering: "What shall I get for Frank?" What do you think father would like? I wonder if George would like this? We knew you were asking these questions and we're right ready now to help you choose right.

This big men's store is a year-round favorite with your men-folks. And that being the case, it's a favorite shopping place for women who have Franks and Georges and Bills and Toms on their Christmas lists.

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Ladies' fancy Silk Hosiery; a great value. Special .98c	Ladies' Sunsets: Fur-trimmed; all colors; sizes 16 to 40. Special at \$17.98	Men's Outing Flannel Shirts in gray. While they last at \$1.48
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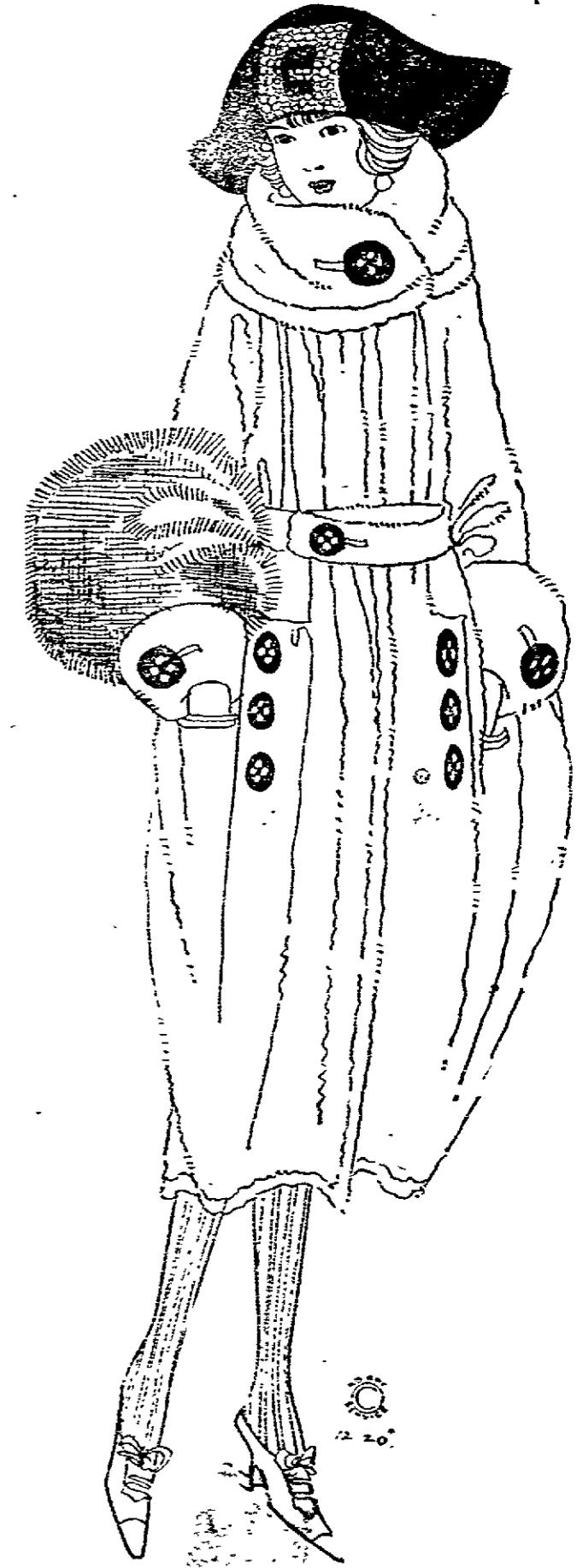
Nearly all shoppers are including Handkerchiefs in their purchases. Handkerchiefs make dainty, sensible gifts that are suitable for everybody. We are still showing an endless variety of all the wanted styles.

Neckwear?

Show us the woman that would not rather receive gifts such as these than she would articles which are not practical. Scores of sheer, lovely pieces here for immediate selection.

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AT DEATH'S DOOR

I was talking with my neighbor, Mr. Webb, the other day, regarding the great trouble his stomach had given him. He said he suffered for 8 years, and had been almost at death's door a number of times. He had a very bad attack of gas, which seemed to shut off his heart action. He said he wouldn't have lived much longer if he hadn't taken Mavis-Woodruff. He had been given it by a well man of Lida. It is a simple, home preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and relieves the indigestion. It is also practically a cure for such liver and intestinal troubles as are causing appendicitis. One dose will convince you or money refunded. Miller-Strong Drug company.

THIS WHALE HAD HIND LEGS

Scientists Puzzled Over Latest Freak of Ocean. Caught Off British Columbia.

New York.—Capture off the coast of British Columbia of a humpback whale with two hind limbs became known here when the boots of the unique appendages arrived at the American Museum of Natural History.

Scientists judged the legs might have been a singular reversion to primitive type.

Back in prehistoric ages, they said, whales may have strayed about on land. But, so far as they know, no other whale with bones outside the body has ever been seen by man.

There was no reason for the legs on the whale found off the British Columbia coast. It couldn't walk on them, as they were but four feet long, while the whale weighed several tons. It couldn't use them for swimming, as they were not flippers, nor webbed.

COULD NOT STAND ONIONS.

Rawlings, Wyo.—An onion diet for four days, without water, was all William Smith, convict, could stand. When he left his hiding place over the ceiling of the prison bakery for a drink of water and a breath of air he was captured and returned to his cell. Smith escaped from the prison by placing a dummy in his cell to deceive the guards. He climbed through a small hole in the bakery ceiling. For four days Smith suffered as the hot sun beat upon the prison roof made his hiding place almost unbearable from heat. A small bunch of onions was his only sustenance.

Small Gifts
Made of Box Boards

By DOROTHY PERTHES

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Box boards can be used in the making of practical Christmas gifts, especially small gifts.

Whiskbroom holders never fail to please. The holder in Fig. 1 requires a single board of the dimensions shown in Fig. 2.

Use a small saw for cutting. Cut a trifle outside of the outline, then finish

to the line with plane and sandpaper. Bore a pair of holes near the top of the board, in the positions shown, to slip over wall hangers.

Two coats of white enamel make a nice finish for a bedroom whiskbroom holder. If the wood is clear, you can shellac and varnish it, or stain and wax it. A stain can be made of oil paint thinned with turpentine.

The necktie-rack in Fig. 3 has a back of the dimensions of the upper part of the whiskbroom holder; therefore, if you make the holder first, you can mark out the tie-rack board from it. Figure 4 shows the height to make the back. Bore holes for hanging.

Sometimes the king himself comes out on the balcony to salute his guard and then all is hushed while he faces the regimental flags, and after bowing his head raises his hand to his cap.

The picture is on view for about an hour every morning.

WHEN MADRID IS GAY

Presence of King in Town Causes of Wonderful Spectacle.

Brilliant Daily Display in the Palace Yard as the Guard is Changed.

Madrid.—More color is to be seen in the palace yard of Madrid when King Alfonso is in residence than is to be found in any other part of Spain. The military spectacle alone is brilliant, with the striking uniforms of red and blue Hussars, the dark blue of the artillerymen and the red trousers and blue tunics of the infantry as the old and new guards face each other at 10 o'clock, with the flags unfurled in the center and the two regimental bands drawn up in circles playing martial airs.

The customary brilliant sunshine makes the fixed bayonets and unsheathed swords flash in the air as the various units carry out the smart military exercises.

Thousands of civilians, mostly visitors to Madrid, gather around the precincts of the palace to watch the spectacle. Numbers of them are from the Spanish provinces, and their bright shawls and scarves mixed with the more prosaic dress of the Madridians form a fit setting to the bright picture.

Further details are added by the itinerant vendors of peanuts and hot butter rolls and other delicacies loved by the children, who under the eye of their nursesmaids in their picturesque costumes of varied hues run hither and thither.

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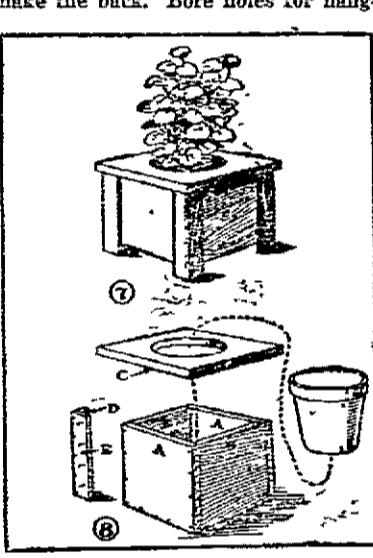


Fig. 5 shows dimensions for the rod bracket, and Fig. 6 shows dimensions for the tie-rod. Bore the hole for the rod through the bracket before cutting out the block, to prevent the possibility of splitting while boring. A carpenter's dowel-stick, flagstaff, or stick whittled to the diameter given, may be used for the rod. Center the rod upon the bracket, and center the bracket upon the back.

The plant stand shown in Fig. 7 is designed to conceal the earthen pot of a potted plant.

The diameter of the pot will determine the inside width and length of the box. Make the inside depth an inch less than the depth of the pot. Figure 8 shows how sides A nail

to the ends of sides B, and how the bottom fits between the sides.

Cut top C to fit the top of the box, with a projection of 1 inch all around. Cut the center hole a trifle larger than the pot, so the pot will slip in and out easily. After the top has been nailed on, prepare the corner strips D and E, nail them together and nail a pair to each box corner.

The footstool in Fig. 9 will be appreciated by every lover of a good book and an easy chair. First prepare end pieces A by the pattern of Fig. 10, then top board B. The length of B should be 14 or 16 inches, the width will be governed by the length of pieces A. Nail A to B to pieces A, then cut brace C (Fig. 13) and fasten it between rungers A. To the edges of top B nail strips D (Fig. 12). Round the top edges as shown.

With a sharp-pointed awl, punch a small hole in the center of the top of the stool, and pass a piece of cord through it.

Ancient Mound Discovered.
Tiffin, O.—The Seneca County Historical Society has discovered a prehistoric mound along the Sandusky river south of Tiffin. Geologists call it a sacrificial mound. It is sixty feet square and seven feet high, and erected in a deep depression. The surrounding banks, nearly 100 feet high, form a huge amphitheatre.

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A PRETTY GEISHA GIRL

NEW YORK SOLDIER BONUS

Secretary of State Hugo Lissner Statement — Legislature Must Enact Act — Imperative Qualifications.

Albany, Dec. 16.— Notices can be done toward the ultimate distribution of the New York state soldier bonus, and the determination of those who are entitled to it, until the legislature convenes next month, when a commission will be created to decide the entire matter. This is the answer necessarily made at the present time to thousands of letters which are being received at the secretary of state's office from soldiers and sailors in all parts of the United States, as well as in many foreign lands.

Scores of letters are being received just now from Detroit, Mich., where hundreds of ex-service men from this state are employed, each and every one of whom are anxious to know if they qualify for the bonus. In some instances, copies of discharge papers are being forwarded, while other men, apparently taking it for granted that the bonus is already being distributed, simply send their address, with the request that the check be sent without further delay. Letters are being received from Hawaii, France and Panama, while regular arm posts contribute their share.

Although the actual distribution of the bonus will not get under way for some little time yet, the following qualifications are imperative:

The applicant must have been enlisted, inducted, warranted, or commissioned in the military or naval service of the United States and must have served honorably at some time between April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918, active service being for a period of more than two months. The bonus is payable to both men and women who qualify. The time limit for applications will be fixed by the coming legislature.

Real Estate Transaction.

C. A. Brush has purchased of Arthur Germond two building lots on Harrison street. He intends to erect a residence thereon in the near future.

You get full weight when you buy Hygrade brand butterine. You also get full measure of delicious, palatable, nutritious goodness. 1W

Kyoto, Japan, is noted for its many beautiful geisha girls. This fair maid of old Japan poses prettily for the camera man. Note the quaint head-dress and beautiful obi, or sash worn by the young lady. These sashes very often cost as much as a thousand dollars.

Otego Woman Injured.

Information has been received from O. C. Kelly of Otego, who recently started for Fluids by auto, that he met with an accident in the state of Maryland in which his car was demolished and Mrs. Kelly seriously injured and confined to a hospital. The Kelly car collided with a heavy truck. It is understood Mr. and Mrs. Kelly are now on the return trip to Otego, and are expected to reach there this week. They may make the trip later if his wife's condition will permit.

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CHRISTMAS IN THE SCHOOLS

Programs for Holiday Exercises Today in Public and Normal Schools.

At the Academy Street school beginning at 2:30 this afternoon, a musical program will be given in the High school assembly room. The program will include many selections appropriate to the holiday season, among them being "Ours' soprano chorus," in which pupils from all the public schools of the city will take part.

At the River Street school there will be Christmas trees. In each of the rooms in the lower grades there will also be separate programs. In each room, and the third, fourth and fifth grades will have a joint program, consisting of songs and recitations, violin solos and a play. "I Don't Believe in Santa Claus." All the exercises will be at 2:30 o'clock.

At the East End school the exercises of the day will be held at the chapel period in the morning. There will be appropriate recitations and Christmas songs.

At the Chestnut Street school there will be songs, stories and a Christmas tree and party in each room during the morning hours.

A Christmas program, consisting of a play entitled, "Santa Claus and the Children," will be given by the first three grades at the Center Street school this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

At the Normal building, there will be the Christmas exercises Monday morning in the kindergarten, primary and intermediate departments. The teachers in these departments have been invited to attend the teachers' conference Monday afternoon, and it is expected that all whose duties permit will do so.

The Christmas exercises in the Normal department will be held on Tuesday and the school will close for the holiday recess on Wednesday afternoon.

The public is cordially invited to attend all these exercises.

The program of the exercises at the East End school will be as follows:

Song — Hark! The Herald Angels Sing. School.

Reading — The First Christmas. May Christian.

Song — Beautiful Thoughts for Christmas. Grades four and five.

Recitation — Christmas Bells. Mabel McHale.

Song — Christmas Carol. Grade Six.

Recitation and Song — The Manger Babe. Curtis Culver and Richard Shearer.

Song — Cradle Hymn. Grades two and three.

Recitation — While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night. Ruth Shove.

Song — The Christmas Story. School.

Recitation — What I Should Like. Velda Dingman.

Recitation — A Note to Santa Claus. Elizabeth Cornell.

Song — Up on the House Tops. Grades four and five.

Recitation — Santa's Helpers. Bertha Guequinto.

Recitation — A Real Santa Claus. William Wolfendale.

Song — Christmas Bells. School.

Recitation and Song — Shoe and Stocking and Little Maids of Holland. Marjorie Baldwin and first grade girls.

Song — Santa Claus Is Coming. Grades two and three.

Recitation — To Santa Claus. Daniel Brown.

Recitation — Christmas Stocking. John Kelly.

Song — Jolly Old St. Nicholas. Grade one.

Victoria Christmas Records.

Song — Silent Night. School.

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, Jan. 3; East Norwich, Jan. 6.

Parshall Hospital News.

Oxford Nichols of 82 West street underwent an operation at the Parshall hospital Wednesday for acute appendicitis. The operation was performed by Dr. Brinkman, assisted by Dr. Gernman. He is doing nicely.

Miss Eleanor Sollommer of 149, L. I., who is attending the Normal school of this city, underwent an operation yesterday for acute appendicitis, which was performed by Dr. Brinkman, assisted by Dr. Darr. She is doing as well as can be expected.

J. A. Vandeven of North Harperville, who underwent a major operation at the Parshall hospital about six weeks ago, returned to his home yesterday.

The many friends of Ernest Cawell, who underwent an operation about two weeks ago for acute appendicitis, will be glad to learn that he is improving rapidly and will be able to leave the hospital in a short time.

After the Home Bureau Banner.

Last year the contest for the Home Bureau banner was very close. Westville, West Elmeston, McFord Center, Butterfield Valley and Mt. Vision were all in line and Westville won out. The banner is again in the field and the question uppermost in the minds of many is "Who will win the Home Bureau banner this year?" Westville is going after it hard again. The banner will be awarded December 25, when the membership contest closes. Many committees have already begun active membership work and are looking towards having the banner in their community next year — [Freeman's Journal].

Needed the Ford Right Away.

Commenting on the revised prices of Ford cars recently announced by the Oneonta Sales company, a local man was overheard yesterday to say that he had intended to buy his daughter a new hat for Christmas, but now had changed his mind and had given her a Ford coupe, as he believed she could wait until next Christmas to get the hat.

Undergoes Operation.

Miles Judd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Judd of 11 Ann street, underwent an operation at the Fox Memorial hospital Monday for the removal of diseased tonsils and adenoids. The operation was performed by Dr. McMenamin, assisted by Drs. Augustin and Hendrick, and Miles is reported to be making a good recovery.

Needle Craft Shop and Oneonta Woman's Art Exchange extend greetings in the spirit of Christmas to you and your friends. In our assortment no one is forgotten. Our aim is to please. Both "Shop" and "Exchange" are yours. Cordially yours, Mrs. Matilda Hugson Alford. Your help will be appreciated.

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